

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 TAIPEI 00750 050952Z

17

ACTION EA-14

INFO OCT-01 EUR-25 ISO-00 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-07 H-03

INR-10 L-03 NSAE-00 NSC-10 PA-04 RSC-01 PRS-01 SPC-03

SS-20 USIA-15 SAM-01 OMB-01 NSCE-00 IO-14 SAJ-01

NIC-01 DRC-01 /136 W

----- 065010

R 050854Z FEB 74

FM AMEMBASSY TAIPEI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 865

INFO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

AMEMBASSY MANILA

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW

AMEMBASSY SAIGON

AMEMBASSY TOKYO

AMCONSUL HONG KONG

USLO PEKING

CINCPAC

UNCLAS TAIPEI 0750

E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: PFOR, CH, VS, TW

SUBJECT: ALLEGED GVN "INITIAL CONTACT" WITH ROC OVER
SPRATLYS

REF : HONG KONG 1272

FOR THE RECORD, STORY OF INITIAL GVN CONTACT WITH
GRC (AND RP) TO ESTABLISH COMMON FRONT IN SPRATLYS
APPEARS TO HAVE ORIGINATED WITH AP SAIGON. STORY WAS
DENIED HERE AND DENIAL WAS ALSO CARRIED BY AP. WE
NOTE FBIS ALSO CARRIES GVN DENIAL.
MCCONAUGHY

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: PRESS COMMENTS, FOREIGN RELATIONS, ISLAND CLAIMS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 05 FEB 1974
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1974TAIPEI00750
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: TAIPEI
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1974/newtext/t19740254/aaaabykx.tel
Line Count: 51
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION EA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 1
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: HONG KONG 1272
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: kelleyw0
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 07 MAY 2002
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <07 MAY 2002 by elbezefj>; APPROVED <27 NOV 2002 by kelleyw0>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: ALLEGED GVN "INITIAL CONTACT" WITH ROC OVER SPRATLYS
TAGS: PFOR, CH, VS, TW
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005